

Town of Manchester
September 9, 2014

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Manchester met on the above date. Those present were Mayor Warner, Melinda Smith, Tammy Black, Dale Wilder, Steve Miller, Chief Hess and Kelly Baldwin.

Ms. Smith made a motion to approve the August 12, 2014 and August 14, 2014 minutes. Ms. Black seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Black made a motion to receive the August 2014 Check Register. Mr. Wilder seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Warner reminded citizens that school has started so be mindful of buses. The Manchester Valley Stampede was held on September 3, 2014 and was successful. Halloween will be held on October 31st from 6:30-8:30pm.

Chris Tomlinson was sworn in as a member of the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Mr. Miller gave the monthly Town Administration and Public Works report. The Town received a 3rd round of funding with MEA to install energy efficient thermostats. Staff met with the owner of the Chestnut Street apartments to discuss certain issues. Caleb Matthews has been hired as a sprayfield operator. The WRCC is still working on the MOI for the storm water mandate.

Chief Hess read the monthly police report. There were 64 calls for service last month resulting in 5 arrests. Officers were involved in the Smooth Operator grant. Chief Hess was asked to serve on the MVHS Advisory Council.

George Huppman approached the Mayor and Council about the deteriorating condition of the Walnut Street pond. Mr. Miller explained that we received funding for the design from Trout Unlimited. Currently temperature sensors are in the pond. Mr. Huppman also commented on the condition of the ponds on Water Street. Mr. Huppman has mentioned that he has seen people dumping their aquariums into the pond which may have caused some of the issues. Mr. Miller will look into signage. Mr. Huppman suggested contacting DNR to find out about a biologic solution i.e. triploid grass carp.

Council members gave committee reports.

Ms. Smith made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Wilder seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned after 8:00pm.

Respectfully submitted, Kelly J. Baldwin